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GANG DISBANDED

FAMOUS CATTLE STEALING ORDER OF THE WEST.

Detective of the National Livestock Association Unearths Secrets and the Doom of the Gang is Sealed—Members Occupy High Social Positions—Reaches From Arizona to Canada.

To cattlemen throughout the West and in parts of Colorado and Wyoming the news of the disbanding of the famous "Circle Society," comes as cheering information, says the Denver Post.

Charles F. Martin, secretary of the National Livestock Association, received a report today telling of the work of Detective C. H. Wilkie in running the gang down.

Of the 210 members all but about 20 have been captured. These 20 are wanted badly by the officers, as they are still dangerous, owing to the oath of the society to kill any traitor.

The society has its agents from Canada to Arizona. While Colorado cattlemen have suffered at times, the Dakotas and Wyoming have had greater cause to complain.

It is estimated that the gang has stolen 7,000 horses and 10,000 cattle during the past few years, valued at more than half a million dollars.

Three years ago Detective Wilkie was put on the case. The detective comes from Pittsburg, but knew the cattle business and the way of the outlaws.

Obtained Their Secrets.

For more than a year he lived in Lyman county, South Dakota, the headquarters of the gang. It was there that he collected his evidence and one by one the gang was arrested. Wilkie gives the names of 113 members of the gang. The rest are known as "Cow Jim" and other fitting names. Fifteen members of the gang have confessed and 11 have been found guilty. The trials of other members will be hurried with all due speed.

The full report has not been made public, owing to a lack of evidence in some quarters. Enough is known to show that a former well known Indian trader is president of the gang.

Wilkie says the society has a terrible oath that means death for any one that breaks it. An ironclad vow puts each man on record as declaring he will murder his best friend or own brother if he turns traitor and can expect the same treatment if he ever tells the secrets.

This oath is of such a nature that it was only after many months that the detective gathered his chain of evidence.

One of the prominent members has been living in Little Rock, Ark., for some time. His wife has taken active part in society circles. No arrests have been made in that section up to the present time.

A PIONEER GAME.

Athena Banker Tells Incident in Frank O'Hara's Early Experience.

The honesty of gamblers was the subject of discussion and the Athena banker told this story to the Oregon Daily Journal: "I was in Pendleton one night a number of years ago. It was during the good old days when everything was running wide open and no Tom Halleys had appeared to ruffle the placid waters of the sport's haven.

"I dropped into Frank O'Hara's gambling house and found one of my Athena friends crazed with drink and with a pocket full of gold, 'buckling' roulette. The fellow owned a big farm and had several thousand dollars in my bank. But he was fairly insane from his drinking and was throwing out money by the handful.

"I walked up to the wheel and watched him. The man was winning but I knew about what the outcome would be so I turned to O'Hara and asked how much the fellow was in. "About \$150," responded O'Hara. "But I don't want his money. Can't tell him anything though." I reached out and counted out \$150 from the money scattered on the table and

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putting it in my pocket left the place. O'Hara nodded his assent. Before morning my friend was broke and when he returned home several days later he came to the bank and thanked me. If I had attempted to take the money off the average sport's table I would have had a mixup. O'Hara is what I call a square gambler.

WORSE THAN GAMBLING.

John L. Sharpstein Says Speculating is Very, Very Bad.

"Attorney Halley of Pendleton can stop gambling all right," remarks John L. Sharpstein, a prominent Walla Walla lawyer, to the Oregon Daily Journal, "but what is he going to gain? Men will gamble and if they cannot do it in one way they will in another. I cannot see where it is any worse for them to stake their money on the turn of a card, the speed of a horse or a shake of a dice, than it is to speculate in stocks or real estate. One is as much a gamble as the other."

Mr. Sharpstein is an enthusiastic baseball fan and was manager of the Walla Walla team in 1901 and 1902. Last year the team under another management failed. Mr. Sharpstein is of the opinion that a team of semi-professional nature, and not too high-class, would prove a success this season. "Both Boise and Spokane want to train in Walla Walla this spring," he added, "and this would give the local nine plenty of opportunity to get into practice. My business will not permit me to take an active part in baseball this year."

THE BIGGEST LOCOMOTIVE.

Santa Fe Orders the Largest Decapod Engine in the World.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad appears to maintain a monopoly of the biggest locomotives. As soon as any other company approaches the Santa Fe's leviathans in size or capacity the Atchison management orders something bigger and stronger. The latest type, the decapod, is a favorite of President Ripley for heavy freighting. Including its loaded tender this locomotive weighs 450,000 pounds and can haul on a level track a train of loaded cars more than a mile long, equal to a weight of over 6,000 tons.

"What is a decapod?" an engineer on the Erie road was asked by a protesting commuter. "President Underwood needs one for his fast express."

"A decapod," replied the faithful employe addressed, "is a lobster." Whether he was aware of it or not, the answer was absolutely descriptive. The name was derived from those crustaceans which have 10 feet and are deliberate of motion. The lobster has 10 feet and moves slowly. The decapod locomotive has 10 driving wheels and is slow. Isn't it singular that a lobster or crab should give a name to a type of locomotive that is reducing the cost of transportation so materially that even bankrupt railroads can pay dividends?

"Forty-Nine Jimmy" Dead.

Canyon City, Feb. 29.—James Duffin, familiarly known as "Forty-Nine Jimmy," one of the most prominent and eccentric prospector of the West was laid to rest on Sunday morning in the grave yard on the hill near here. He had mined in every camp of any note on the entire coast between Cariboo, B. C., and Virginia City, Nevada.

new lease of popularity, while it is the opinion of all the metropolitan music critics that their recent performance of "Robin Hood" in the Academy of Music were never outshone. This is a cheerful outcome in art along the lines of high ideals. Nobody will be readier to offer congratulations to Messrs. Barnabee and McDonald than the people of this town, who will give them renewed welcome when they come forward at the Frazer next Thursday night, March 3.

PUBLIC CORRALS

SHEEPMEN OF SNAKE RIVER WILL UNITE.

By Building Public Corrals on the Upper River, it Will Save Driving Their Herds Long Distances to Railroad Stations—Boats Will Be Used to Get Wool to Market.

It is not improbable that with the resumption of the upper river steamboat service large shearing sheds will be established at convenient points along the river for the accommodation of the sheepmen of that country, says the Lewiston Tribune. The Tribune learned yesterday that large sheepmen of Eastern Oregon have started a movement toward that end and have presented the matter to parties identified with the upper river boat company, with the view of having such parties install sheep shearing machines.

While the important matter has as yet assumed no definite form, the plans as discussed provide for establishing sheds near the mouth of the Grand Ronde, at Cash creek bar or other points.

The object sought is to provide a central shearing camp on each side of the river to accommodate both the Idaho and the Oregon men.

It is estimated that at this time there are no less than 40,000 sheep ranging in the immediate vicinity of the stream independent of the many thousands that are ranged back in the high mountains.

These sheep are annually driven a great distance to the shearing grounds and the wool then hauled by wagon perhaps 50 or 65 miles to rail transportation.

With shearing sheds on the upper river the saving to the sheepmen would be a tremendous one on transportation alone, aside from having the advantage of ideal shearing grounds along the river, without the expense of moving their sheep great distances.

With the maintenance of a regular boat service that will follow the completion of the new boat, Mountain Gem, there now seems every probability that the sheepmen of the upper Snake will realize the great benefits suggested.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received to build a schoolhouse in school district No. 48, known as the Hogue precinct. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the East Oregonian. Bonds for amount of bid must be given. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bids must be mailed to C. W. Brown, school clerk, not later than March 1st, 1904.

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